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FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EFFECTING SECURE
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37 CFR 1.322 & 37 CFR 1.323 REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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Sir:

The following is a request for a certificate of correction in Serial Number 10/800,828, now Patent Number 8,140,694.

A certificate of correction under 35 USC 254 is respectfully requested in the above-identified patent.

All errors were the fault of the USPTO, no fee required. In the event that a further fee is required, please charge the amount to Deposit Account No. 082025.

All errors were the fault of the applicant and, accordingly, please charge \$100.00 to our Deposit Account No. 082025. In the event that a further fee is required, please charge the amount to the same Deposit Account.

The errors were the fault of both the applicant and USPTO and, accordingly, please charge \$100.00 to our Deposit Account No. 082025. In the event that a further fee is required, please charge the amount to the same Deposit Account.

The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application are as follows:

In column 9, line 46, in Claim 5, delete “fast” and insert - - first - -, therefor. (Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 3, in claim 9, line 4)

In column 10, line 22, in Claim 8, delete “part” and insert - - port - -, therefor. (Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 4, in claim 15, line 13)

In column 10, line 59, in Claim 10, delete “secondport.” and insert - - second port. - -, therefor.

(Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 5, in claim 17, line 6)

In column 10, line 63, in Claim 12, delete “pot” and insert - - port - -, therefor. (Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 5, in claim 19, line 1)

In column 11, line 14, in Claim 14, before “valid” insert - - a - -.

(Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 5, in claim 21, line 7)

In column 11, line 27, in Claim 15, delete “n” and insert - - a - -, therefor.

(Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 5, in claim 23, line 2)

In column 12, line 30, in Claim 18, delete “number,” and insert - - number; - -, therefor. (Notice of Allowance and Fees Due (PTOL-85) dated Jan. 27, 2012, page 6, in claim 30, line 4)

The requested corrections are attached on Form PTO 1050.

Respectfully Submitted

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 9, line 46, in Claim 5, delete "fast" and insert -- first --, therefor.

In column 10, line 22, in Claim 8, delete "part" and insert -- port --, therefor.

In column 10, line 59, in Claim 10, delete "secondport." and insert -- second port. --, therefor.

In column 10, line 63, in Claim 12, delete "pot" and insert -- port --, therefor.

In column 11, line 14, in Claim 14, before "valid" insert -- a --.

In column 11, line 27, in Claim 15, delete "n" and insert -- a --, therefor.

In column 12, line 30, in Claim 18, delete "number," and insert -- number; --, therefor.

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